

1 Claims 24-28 and 31-32 have been amended.

2 Claims 1-23, 29-30 and 33-86 are cancelled.

3 New claims 87-100 have been added.

4 The status of the claims is as provided below.

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6 **1 - 23. (Cancelled).**

1 **24. (Currently Amended)** A computer-readable storage medium
2 comprising computer-executable instructions for:

3 detecting user input corresponding to a present user context; and
4 responsive to detecting the user input and independent of whether the user
5 input is associated with an explicit query:

6 analyzing at least a subset of the user input in view of semantic text
7 and user intention and ~~preference patterns~~ user preferences modeling, the
8 semantic text comprising the at least a subset and previously collected text
9 from a personal media database customized for the user, the previously
10 collected text being semantically related to one or more previous
11 multimedia accesses by the user, the user preferences modeling containing
12 user log records clustered into several preferences clusters based on clusters
13 semantic similarity, each cluster of the clusters represented by a keyword
14 frequency vector, the analyzing further comprising evaluating the user input
15 based on lexical and syntactical features;

16 predicting desired access to one or more media files based on the
17 analysis;

18 retrieving information corresponding to one or more media files
19 from a media content source, wherein the retrieved information was
20 generated in response to a user context previous to and different from the
21 present user context; and

22 ~~displaying~~ presenting the retrieved information as a suggestion to a
23 user.

1 **25. (Currently Amended)** The computer-readable storage medium
2 of claim 24, wherein the user input is text.

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4 **26. (Currently Amended)** The computer-readable storage medium
5 of claim 24, wherein the user input corresponds to an e-mail message or a word
6 processing document.

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8 **27. (Currently Amended)** The computer-readable storage medium
9 of claim 24, wherein the information further comprises suggested media content
10 items, and wherein the computer-executable instructions further comprise
11 instructions for:

12 detecting user interest in an item of the suggested media items; and
13 responsive to detecting the user interest, displaying a high-level feature
14 corresponding to the item, the high-level feature being stored in a database.

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16 **28. (Currently Amended)** The computer-readable storage medium
17 of claim 24, wherein the computer-executable instructions for analyzing the user
18 input further comprise determining one or more keywords from the user input, and
19 wherein the one or more media files correspond to the one or more keywords.

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21 **29 - 30. (Cancelled).**
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1 **31. (Currently Amended)** The computer-readable storage medium
2 of claim 24, wherein the computer-executable instructions for analyzing the user
3 input further comprise evaluating the user input based on at least a partially
4 instantiated sentence pattern.

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6 **32. (Currently Amended)** The computer-readable storage medium
7 of claim 24, wherein the computer-executable instructions further comprise
8 instruction for identifying media content use patterns, and wherein analyzing the
9 user input further comprises evaluating the user input based on the media content
10 use patterns.

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12 **33 - 86. (Cancelled).**
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1 **87. (New)** A computer-implemented method, comprising:
2 detecting user input corresponding to a present user context; and
3 responsive to detecting the user input and independent of whether the user
4 input is associated with an explicit query:

5 analyzing at least a subset of the user input in view of semantic text
6 and user intention and user preferences modeling, the semantic text
7 comprising the at least a subset and previously collected text from a
8 personal media database customized for the user, the previously collected
9 text being semantically related to one or more previous multimedia
10 accesses by the user, the user preferences modeling containing user log
11 records clustered into several preferences clusters based on clusters
12 semantic similarity, each cluster of the clusters represented by a keyword
13 frequency vector, the analyzing further comprising evaluating the user input
14 based on lexical and syntactical features;

15 predicting desired access to one or more media files based on the
16 analysis;

17 retrieving information corresponding to one or more media files
18 from a media content source, wherein the retrieved information was
19 generated in response to a user context previous to and different from the
20 present user context; and

21 displaying the retrieved information as a suggestion to a user.

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23 **88. (New)** The computer-implemented method of claim 87,
24 wherein the user input is text.
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1 **89. (New)** The computer-implemented method of claim 87,
2 wherein the user input corresponds to an e-mail message or a word processing
3 document.

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5 **90. (New)** The computer-implemented method of claim 87,
6 wherein the information further comprises suggested media content items, and
7 wherein the computer-implemented method further comprises:

8 detecting user interest in an item of the suggested media items; and
9 responsive to detecting the user interest, displaying a high-level feature
10 corresponding to the item, the high-level feature being stored in a database.

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12 **91. (New)** The computer-implemented method of claim 87,
13 wherein the analyzing the user input further comprises determining one or more
14 keywords from the user input, and wherein the one or more media files correspond
15 to the one or more keywords.

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17 **92. (New)** The computer-implemented method of claim 87,
18 wherein the analyzing the user input further comprises evaluating the user input
19 based on at least a partially instantiated sentence pattern.

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21 **93. (New)** The computer-implemented method of claim 87,
22 wherein computer-implemented method further comprises identifying media
23 content use patterns, and wherein analyzing the user input further comprises
24 evaluating the user input based on the media content use patterns.
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1 **94. (New)** A system comprising at least one processor and a
2 computer-accessible storage medium coupled to the at least one processor, the
3 system configured to:

4 detect user input corresponding to a present user context; and
5 responsive to detecting the user input and independent of whether the user
6 input is associated with an explicit query:

7 analyze at least a subset of the user input in view of semantic text
8 and user intention and user preferences modeling, the semantic text
9 comprising the at least a subset and previously collected text from a
10 personal media database customized for the user, the previously collected
11 text being semantically related to one or more previous multimedia
12 accesses by the user, the user preferences modeling containing user log
13 records clustered into several preferences clusters based on clusters
14 semantic similarity, each cluster of the clusters represented by a keyword
15 frequency vector, the analyzing further comprising evaluating the user input
16 based on lexical and syntactical features;

17 predict desired access to one or more media files based on the
18 analysis;

19 retrieve information corresponding to one or more media files from a
20 media content source, wherein the retrieved information was generated in
21 response to a user context previous to and different from the present user
22 context; and

23 display the retrieved information as a suggestion to a user.

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25 **95. (New)** The system of claim 94, wherein the user input is text.

1 **96. (New)** The system of claim 94, wherein the user input
2 corresponds to an e-mail message or a word processing document.

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4 **97. (New)** The system of claim 94, wherein the information
5 further comprises suggested media content items, and wherein the system is
6 further configured to:

7 detect user interest in an item of the suggested media items; and
8 responsive to detecting the user interest, display a high-level feature
9 corresponding to the item, the high-level feature being stored in a database.

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11 **98. (New)** The system of claim 94, wherein the analyzing the user
12 input further comprises determining one or more keywords from the user input,
13 and wherein the one or more media files correspond to the one or more keywords.

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15 **99. (New)** The system of claim 94, wherein the analyzing the user
16 input further comprises evaluating the user input based on at least a partially
17 instantiated sentence pattern.

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19 **100. (New)** The system of claim 94, wherein the system is further
20 configured to identify media content use patterns, and wherein analyzing the user
21 input further comprises evaluating the user input based on the media content use
22 patterns.